



City of Missoula, Montana
Item to be Referred to City Council Committee

Committee: Public Works
Item: Contract for Janitorial services
Date: July 21, 2021
Sponsor(s): Matt Lawson
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Ward(s) Affected:
 Ward 1 Ward 4
 Ward 2 Ward 5
 Ward 3 Ward 6
 All Wards N/A

Action Required:
Authorize the Mayor to contract with Opportunity Resources Inc. of Missoula, Montana

Recommended Motion(s):
I move the City Council: authorize the Mayor to contract with Opportunity Resources Inc. of Missoula, Montana to provide Janitorial services to City Facilities listed in the attached contracts

Timeline:
Referral to committee: July 28, 2021
Committee discussion: Click or tap here to enter text.
Council action (or sets hearing): Click or tap here to enter text.
Public Hearing: Click or tap here to enter text.
Deadline: N/A

Background and Alternatives Explored: Opportunity Resources Inc (ORI) is just that, an opportunity for people to apply the ability portion of their disabilities. This program is a win-win situation for the City of Missoula. The City receives janitorial services and at the same time provides employment, training, and lively hood to a group of folks that work hard to be productive in spite of physical and mental challenges. Opportunity Resources Inc. meets the criterion for a “Certified sheltered workshop” or “work activity center” meaning nonprofit corporations for the purpose of providing vocational services to persons with disabilities that hold an appropriate certificate from the United States Department of Labor.

Please see attached legal opinions.

Financial Implications: This is a 3 year extension to the ORI Janitorial contract for the City OF Missoula Shops and Street department Facilities at 1305 Scott St. This contractual cost is currently funded in the City Facilities budget

Links to external websites:



Legal opinions.pdf